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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

At column 16, line 24, directly after claim 26, the following claim should be inserted:

--27. The kit of claim 16 wherein the activated protein C comprises recombinant protein C.--

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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